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SUBJECT: 62ND ECOSOC: RESOLUTION ON "ASSISTANCE TO THE DROUGHT STRICKEN AREAS OF ETHIOPIA

REF: A) UNEC D-68-77 B) STATE 295587
C) DRAFT RES E/L.1763 DATAFAXED POOLE (IO/IEP)

1. DRAFT RES E/L.1763 (ASSISTANCE TO ETHIOPIA) WAS ADOPTED BY CONSENSUS WITH MINOR AMENDMENTS ON MAY 5. AT OUR REQUEST, YUGOSLAVIA'S INTRODUCTORY REMARKS OF DRAFT RES ON BEHALF OF CO-SPONSORS INCLUDED CLARIFICATION THAT REFERENCE IN OPERATIVE PARA 1 TO "RELEVANT PROVISIONS OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS 3202 (S-VI)" RELATED TO SECTION X EMERGENCY MEASURES FOR MSAS. (COPY POUCHED POOLE IO/IEP).

2. CO-SPONSORS INCLUDED: KENYA, NIGERIA, PHILIPPINES, UPPER VOLTA, YUGOSLAVIA, ARGENTINA, JAMAICA, RWANDA, MAURITANIA, CUBA, BANGLADESH, MALAYSIA AND AFGHANISTAN.

3. AMONG THE SPEAKERS ENTHUSIASTICALLY SUPPORTING
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THE RES WERE BULGARIA, POLAND, CUBA AND THE USSR.

4. RES TEXT IS AS FOLLOWS:
"THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL,
"HAVING EXAMINED THE REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL SUBMITTED TO THE COUNCIL PURSUANT TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 31/77 OF 21 DECEMBER 1976

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ON THE PROGRESS MADE IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ALL
RELEVANT RESOLUTIONS REGARDING ASSISTANCE TO THE
DROUGHT-STRICKEN AREAS OF ETHIOPIA,/1/
"NOTING WITH CONCERN THAT IN FOUR REGIONS OF THE
DROUGHT-SENSITIVE AREAS OF THE COUNTRY, CROP FAILURES
HAVE BEEN REPORTED; AND THAT A CRISIS COULD RESULT
BEFORE THE NEXT HARVEST IN OCTOBER,
"HAVING HEARD THE STATEMENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS
DISASTER RELIEF CO-ORDINATOR OUTLINING SUBSTANTIAL
GRAIN IMPORT REQUIREMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1977 AS WELL
AS THE URGENT NEED FOR TRANSPORT VEHICLES AND ASSO-
CIATED EQUIPMENT FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF RELIEF GRAIN,
"HAVING ALSO HEARD THE REPORT OF THE UNDP ASSIS-
TANT ADMINISTRATOR AND REGIONAL DIRECTOR FOR AFRICA
ON ASSISTANCE BEING PROVIDED BY UNDP TO THE GOVERNMENT
OF ETHIOPIA IN RELATION TO ITS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION
PROGRAMMES IN THE COUNTRY'S DROUGHT AFFECTED AREAS,
"TAKING NOTE OF THE MEASURES UNDERTAKEN BY THE
GOVERNMENT OF ETHIOPIA TO DEAL WITH EMERGENCY RELIEF
AND REHABILITATION IN THE DROUGHT-STRICKEN AREAS OF
THE COUNTRY,
"RECALLING ITS RESOLUTIONS 1833 (LVI) OF 8 MAY
1974, 1876 (LVII) OF 16 JULY 1974, 1971 (LIX) OF
30 JULY 1975 AND 1986 (LX) OF 6 MAY 1976, IN WHICH
THE COUNCIL, INTER ALIA, CALLED UPON THE SECRETARY-
GENERAL TO TAKE THE NECESSARY ACTION TO RESPOND
TO THE REQUESTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF ETHIOPIA WITH
REGARD TO THE IMMEDIATE, MEDIUM-TERM AND LONG-
TERM NEEDS OF THE DROUGHT-STRICKEN AREAS, AND APPEALED
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TO THE GOVERNMENTS OF ALL MEMBER STATES, INTERNATIONAL
ORGANIZATIONS AND VOLUNTARY AGENCIES TO CONTINUE GIVING
THEIR FULLEST SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE IN THE GOVERNMENT'S
EFFORT TOWARDS REHABILITATION AND RECOVERY,
"FURTHER NOTING THAT DESPITE THE GENEROUS ASSIS-
TANCE OFFERED TO THE GOVERNMENT OF ETHIOPIA BY THE
GOVERNMENTS OF MEMBER STATES, ORGANS OF THE UNITED
NATIONS SYSTEM AND VOLUNTARY AGENCIES, ENORMOUS
DIFFICULTIES OF REHABILITATION AND RECOVERY STILL
PERSIST,
"1. REQUESTS THE UNITED NATIONS DISASTER RELIEF
CO-ORDINATOR, THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE UNITED NATIONS
DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME, THE UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN'S
FUND AND THE OTHER UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATIONS AND
SPECIALIZED AGENCIES TO CONTINUE AND INTENSIFY
THEIR ASSISTANCE TO ETHIOPIA IN ITS RELIEF AND RE-
HABILITATION EFFORT IN THEIR RESPECTIVE AREAS OF
COMPETENCE AND IMPLEMENT PROMPTLY THE RELEVANT
PROVISIONS OF GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS 3202 (S-VI)

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OF 1 MAY 1974, 3441 (XXX), 31/77 AND ECONOMIC AND
SOCIAL COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS 1833 (LVI), 1876 (LVII),
1971 (LIX) AND 1986 (LX);
"2. APPEALS TO GOVERNMENTS OF MEMBER STATES
AND TO INTERGOVERNMENTAL AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL
ORGANIZATIONS AND ALL VOLUNTARY AGENCIES TO CON-
TINUE AND INCREASE THEIR ASSISTANCE TO THE GOVERNMENT
OF ETHIOPIA FOR RELIEF, REHABILITATION AND RECOVERY
OF THE DROUGHT-STRICKEN AREAS;
"3. DECIDES TO KEEP THE MATTER UNDER REVIEW."
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